FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. S.385

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TO:	The Honorable Glenn McConnell, Chairman, Senate Judiciary Committee			
FROM:	Office of State Budget, Budget and Control Board			
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AUTHOR:	Senator Hayes	PRIMARY CODE CITE:		20-4-310
SUBJECT:	Uniform Interstate Enforcement of Domestic-Violence Protection Orders Act			

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

The Bill would enact the "Uniform Interstate Enforcement of Domestic-Violence Protection Orders Act" that establishes uniform procedures for the interstate enforcement of domestic violence protection orders.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

The Department of Social Services and the Judicial Department indicate that this Bill would have no impact on the General Fund of the State or Federal and/or Other Funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

Six local governments indicate enactment would have little or no impact on expenditures. One locality indicated it would incur costs associated with additional clerical staff estimated at \$26,000. This staff would assist the Sheriff Department and Clerk of Court.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:

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